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SUBJECT: HELICOPTERS AND NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM

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1. HELICOPTERS WERE NOT RPT NOT DISCUSSED WITH CHARPENTIER DURING HIS CONVERSATIONS AT DEA HQS OR STATE. DISCUSSIONS WITH DEA COVERED APPRECIATION FOR COSTA RICAN COOPERATION WITH DEA ACTIVITIES AGAINST TRAFFICKERS, AND EXPRESSIONS OF UNDERSTANDING BY CHARPENTIER OF BENEFITS OF HAVING DEA OFFICE IN COSTA RICA AND HIS DESIRE SUCH OFFICE BE ACTIVATED SOON.

2. AS TO USEFULNESS OF HELICOPTERS IN NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAMS, IN COSTA RICA, WE DO NOT WISH PREJUDGE SITUATION PENDING EMBASSY NARCOTICS COMMITTEE ASSESSMENT OF WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE AND WHAT TRAINING, EQUIPMENT OR OTHER SUPPORT USG MIGHT USEFULLY PROVIDE. HOWEVER, HELICOPTERS ARE NOT AMONG HARDWARE ITEMS NORMALLY INCLUDED IN USG NARCOTICS

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